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The Honorable Hubert H. Humphrey  
United States Senate  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Senator Humphrey:

Thank you for your letter of 16 November 1953,  
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not have a suitable vacancy for him, and he was  
advised of this by our Personnel Office on 9 October  
1953. A review of his file indicates that [redacted]  
has at least one relative still residing in [redacted] As  
a matter of policy, we avoid hiring persons who have  
such relationships, and we depart from this policy only  
in the rarest circumstances. Beyond this, for reasons  
of economy, we are doing comparatively little hiring  
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I am glad you have called this case to my personal  
attention, and trust that you will understand the  
reasons which prompt this decision.

Sincerely yours,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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